RAJYA SABHA

Monday, the 1st December, 1997/ 10 Agrahayana, 1919 (Saka)

The House met at eleven of the clock, Mr. Chairman MI *the chair.*

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

I. Copy of the letter of Prime Minis ter Resignation and that of his Council of Ministers

II. Copy of the letter of President accepting Resignation of Prime Minister and his Council of Ministers

SECRETARY-GENERAL: Sir, I beg to lay on the Table the following papers received from the Secretary to the President:—

I. Copy of a letter dated the 28th November, 1997 from the Prime Minister to the President tendering his own resignation and that of his Council of Ministers. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-2434/97]

II. Copy of a letter dated the 28th November, 1997, from the President to the Prime Minister accepting his resignation and the resignation of his colleagues in the Council of Ministers and requesting them to continue in office till alternative arrangements are made. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-2435/97]

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRIMATI JAYANTHI NATARAJAN): Sir, in view of these developments, I move that the House be adjourned *sine die.*

MR. CHAIRMAN: The House stands adjourned *sine die.*

The House then adjourned sine *die* at two minutes past eleven of the clock.